

# PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Sugai *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 1645

**Serial No.: 10/583,127**

Examiner: Gangle, Brian J.

Filed: June 16, 2006

Docket No.: 1680/14

Confirmation No.: 3226

For: BACTERICIDE AGAINST STREPTOCOCCUS MUTANS AND  
STREPTOCOCCUS SOBRINUS

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### RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Restriction/Election Requirement dated July 16, 2009, having a 1-month term for Response that expires on August 16, 2009. As August 16, 2009 is a Sunday, the deadline is automatically extended until the following Monday, August 17, 2009. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Election, Amendments and Remarks.